

**DOCKET NO.: MOR-0040/MI0003US**

**PATENT**



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In Re Application of:**

**Nicholas C. Nicolaides, Philip M. Sass,**

**Luigi Grasso and J. Bradford Kline**

**Confirmation No.: 5193**

**Application No.: 09/912,697**

**Group Art Unit: 1648**

**Filing Date: July 25, 2001**

**Examiner: Zachariah Lucas**

**For: METHODS FOR GENERATING ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANT MICROBES**

**EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO: EL 998522745 US**  
**DATE OF DEPOSIT: January 6, 2005**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56 and in accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.97-1.98, information relating to the above-identified application is hereby disclosed. Inclusion of information in this statement is not to be construed as an admission that this information is material as that term is defined in 37 CFR § 1.56(b).

- ☒ In accordance with § 1.97(b), since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed either within three months of the filing date of the above-identified application, within three months of the date of entry into the national stage of the above identified application as set forth in § 1.491, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits of the above-identified application, or

before the mailing date of a first Office Action after the filing of request for continued examination under § 1.114, no additional fee is required.

- ☐ In accordance with § 1.97(c), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the period set forth in § 1.97(b) above but before the mailing date of either a Final Action under § 1.116 or a Notice of Allowance under § 1.311, or before an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, therefore:

☐ Certification in Accordance with § 1.97(e) is attached; or

☐ The fee of **\$180.00** as set forth in § 1.17(p) is attached.

- ☐ In accordance with § 1.97(d), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of either a Final Action under § 1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under § 1.311 but before, or simultaneously with, the payment of the Issue Fee, therefore included are: Certification in Accordance with § 1.97(e); and the submission fee of **\$180.00** as set forth in § 1.17(p).

- ☒ A copy of reference number 122 listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.

- ☐ Copies of reference numbers - on the attached Form PTO 1449 are not required to be submitted pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(i).

☐ Copies of references - are not being submitted because they were previously cited by or submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in patent application number , filed for which a claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 has been made in the instant application.

- ☐ The relevance of those listed references which are not in the English language is as follows:


**DOCKET NO.: MOR-0040/MI0003US - 3 -**

**PATENT**

There are no listed references which are not in the English language.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3050. This form is submitted in duplicate.

Date: January 6, 2005

  
Felicity E. Groth  
Registration No. 47,042

WOODCOCK WASHBURN LLP  
One Liberty Place - 46th Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19103  
Telephone: (215) 568-3100  
Facsimile: (215) 568-3439

© 2005 WW



Sheet 1 of 1

<b>Form PTO-1449 Modified</b>  List of Patent and Publications Cited by Applicant (Use several sheets if necessary)  U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office	Docket No. MOR-0040/MI0003US		Application No. 09/912,697		
	Applicant Nicholas C. Nicolaides, Philip M. Sass, Luigi Grasso and J. Bradford Kline				
	Filing Date July 25, 2001		Group 1648		
	Confirmation No. 5193				
<b>OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</b>					
	122	Carter, P., et al., "Improved oligonucleotide site-directed mutagenesis using M13 vectors," 1985, 13(12), 4431-4443			
<b>EXAMINER</b>			<b>DATE CONSIDERED</b>		